



**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: John Terence Miller

Serial No.: 10/713,946

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For: APPARATUS FOR PLAYING A GAME AND  
METHOD OF USE THEREOF

Group Art Unit: 3712

Examiner: Urszula M. Cegielnik

**MAIL STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 19, 2004, we submit this Response to Office Action.

Please amend the claims of the above-captioned patent application as follows:

**CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §§1.8(a)**

I hereby certify that this Response to Office Action and the documents referred to as enclosed therein are being:  
☒ deposited with the United States Post Service on this date, September 20, 2004, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P. O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.  
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Dated: September 20, 2004

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